33. The method according to claim 32, wherein the communications medium is further for communicating with remote credit bureau terminal devices, and wherein the method further comprises:

selectively obtaining credit report data from at least one remote credit bureau terminal device; and

selectively forwarding the credit report data to the at least one remote funding source terminal device.

34. The computer based method according to claim 32, wherein the method further comprises:

sending a copy of the funding decision data to a consumer product dealer associated with the web site.

35. The computer based method according to claim 34, wherein the sending a copy of the funding decision data to the dealer comprises at least one of:

faxing the data to the dealer; and providing the data to the dealer on-line.

- 36. The computer based method according to claim 34, wherein the web site is a dealer/web site.
- 37. The computer based method according to claim 34, wherein the web site is a web site with links to a plurality of dealers.--

